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Senator Roger Kahn, M.D. Michigan Senate 32nd District

Chair, Senate Appropriations

Minutes

A meeting of the Senate Appropriations was held on Wednesday, January 25, 2012 at 2:01p.m. on the 3rd floor, Capitol building.

Committee Members present: Senators Kahn (C), Moolenaar, Jansen, Pappageorge, Booher, Caswell, Colbeck, Green, Proos, Schuitmaker, Walker, Anderson, Gregory, Hood, Hopgood Absent:

Excused: Johnson

Senator Kahn gave opening remarks regarding order of business:

- SB 887 (Sen. Green) Occupations; licensing fees; grain dealers; modify fees, and eliminate surety requirements.
- SB 888 (Sen. Green) Occupations; agriculture; administration of farm produce insurance program; authorize collection of fee from producers for state enforcement costs and revise fund investment requirements.
- SB 515 (Sen. Smith) Property; conveyances; transfer of certain state fair property to Michigan fast track land bank authority; provide for.

Motion was made by Senator Pappageorge and supported by Senator Moolenaar to adopt the meeting minutes from December 14, 2011. Without objection minutes were adopted.

SB 887 & SB 888 – discussion took place but no voting was done on these bills. Supporters of the bills – Michigan Farm Bureau, Michigan Agri-Business Association

SB 515 – discussion took place but no voting was done on this bill. Supporter of the bill – MEDC

All absent members were excused.

Senator Kahn adjourned the meeting without objections at 2:49pm on January 25, 2012.

An audio recording of this committee meeting is available upon request for a minimal fee.

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Date approved by the Committee